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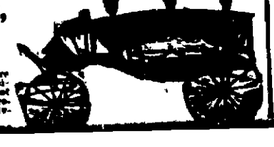

BECOMING ALARMED.

Continued Desertions from the Ranks of the Strikers.

BOLSTERING UP THE WEAK-KNEED ONES

Report of a Committee of Steel Workers Who Visited the Mills by Permission—Over 1,000 Men Employed—No Smallpox.

HOMESTEAD, Pa., Aug. 3.—The Homestead strikers held an enthusiastic meeting yesterday afternoon. Owing to the continued desertions from the ranks of the mechanics and laborers, the amalgamated leaders are becoming alarmed, and the meeting yesterday was for the purpose of bolstering up the weak-kneed ones. Newspaper men were ordered to leave the rink before the meeting opened. Over 1,000 men were present. E. W. Brown, a striking mechanic, presided. Dave Lynch, a member of the advisory committee; John Kilgammon, Jerry Daugherty, W. F. Roberts, John F. Pierce and W. A. Farney, Amalgamated association officials, addressed the meeting. They pleaded earnestly with the mechanics and laborers to remain firm as the Amalgamated association was sure to win the present fight. Each speaker was warmly applauded.

A committee consisting of four steel workers reported that through the courtesy of Superintendent Potter they had made a trip through the Carnegie mill yesterday.

The chairman in submitting his report said there was no use denying the fact that the company has over 1,000 men at work. "But they are making very little progress," said the speaker, owing to the want of skilled steel workers. We found a few experienced rollers at work, and two or three plates were turned out while we were in the mill. We investigated the report that some of the nonunion men were laid up with smallpox and found it untrue.

The report, especially that part relating to the company making very little headway, was received with cheers, and the men of the mechanical and labor departments assured the Amalgamated leaders that there would be no further weakening.

President William Weihe, of the Amalgamated association, at the conclusion of the meeting said: "We are going to win this fight even if all the laborers and mechanics desert us. The company needs practical steel workers, and without them they will be unable to operate the mill."

Superintendent Potter stated last night that fourteen of the company's former employes returned to work yesterday and all told, nearly 300 men were added to the force yesterday.

The striking mechanics and laborers, to the number of nearly 300 held a meeting last night. The principal address was made by Mr. Lynch, of the Amalgamated association. He called upon the mechanics and day-laborers to stand shoulder to shoulder, in order that the amalgamated might win the fight. He scored those mechanics who have returned to work, saying that it would be but a short time until they would be driven from Homestead. Lynch also paid his respects to H. C. Frick in a way that brought out shouts of applause. At the conclusion of Lynch's second address, those present pledged themselves to remain loyal to the Amalgamated association.

The Inquest as to the Killing of the Detectives.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Aug. 3.—The inquest as to the killing of the Pinkerton detectives and a steel worker at the Homestead riot July 6, was continued at the office of Coroner McDowell yesterday afternoon, and after a score of witnesses had been examined another adjournment was ordered until 2 p. m. to-day.

Since the arrest of Capt. Coon and C. W. Mansfield, who testified to seeing the workmen shoot at the Pinkertons in their barges, the witnesses subpœnaed have grown wary, and while all admit seeing or hearing shooting, none will swear who the guilty parties are. A number of Homestead physicians and the undertakers who had charge of the remains of Morris and Silas Wain were called, but told nothing of importance.

Elmer Beale was the last witness and although guarded in what he said gave some important testimony. He stated that he was aroused on the morning of July 6 by the blowing of a whistle and heard shooting. Afterward he went to the river bank with about 500 others and heard more firing. Some one commanded the men to stop shooting and it ceased for awhile. Shortly afterward, he said, about twenty armed men in blue contaxmame out of one of the barges and stood at the bow One advanced to the gang plank and called out that they would land in fifteen minutes. Some one on the bank cursed the bluecoats and told them not to come ashore. Then the leader of the men on the boat shot at the crowd and the firing was resumed by the workmen. He further stated that at 9 a. m. the Pinkertons began picking off people who stood on the bank and he became frightened and ran away.

Charges and Countercharges.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Aug. 3.—Hon. John F. Cox, one of the attorneys for the Amalgamated association, informed the representative of the United Press last evening that to-day warrants would be sworn out for the arrest of A. C. Frick, Secretary F. T. A. Lovejoy, General Superintendent Potter and four or five under bosses at the Homestead steel works, charging them with murder. The warrants will probably by be served at once.

Attorney Cox also informed the United Press that Borough Solicitor Milliken is preparing a number of informations, charging several of the militiamen, now in camp at Homestead, with having insulted the wives and daughters of some of the best citizens of the borough. The warrants cannot be served upon the militiamen, however, until the men are discharged from service by the governor.

Attorney Cox is an ex-solicitor for the borough, and says that since the advent of the soldiers, they seem to think that the Homestead ladies, whether of high or low degree, are the subjects of their displeasure. No lady can pass along the streets without being the subject of slighting remarks or open insult.

Mollick Discharged.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Aug. 3.—E. Mollick, the anarchist baker of Long Branch, N. J., who was brought to this city by Roger O'Mara on a charge of complicity in the conspiracy to assassinate H. C. Frick, had a hearing before Alderman Gripp yesterday afternoon.

Inspector McElvey testified to being notified by the Adams Express Co. that Berkman, who shot Frick, had received $6 from Mollick. On that evidence he made the information.

Superintendent O'Mara, when sworn, detailed the bringing of the prisoner to Pittsbugh, saying that he had willingly come and had satisfactorily explained the letters and telegrams found on his person. Judge Gripp then discharged the prisoner, saying there was not sufficient evidence to hold him for the court. Herr Mollick left for Long Branch on the first train.

Anarchists Henry Bauer and Karl Knold, of Allegheny, went before Judge Ewing in court yesterday, who ordered that they be released on $6,000 bail each. Both prisoners will be released when court opens to-day if the bondsmen are satisfactory.

The Strike Broken and the Company a Winner.

HOMESTEAD, Pa., Aug. 3.—Superintendent Potter claims that 322 new men were received and put at work in the mill before noon yesterday. In the party were a number of steel workers. Forty-two came from Cincinnati, but ten of them refused to go into the mills. Several applicants were refused employment. Mr. Potter reiterates his statement that the strike is broken and the company is the winner. One-third of battery B and the Sheridan troop of cavalry broke camp yesterday morning and started home.

BASEBALL.

National League and American Association.

The following games were played yesterday:

AT CLEVELAND.

Clevelands	0	0	4	4	2	0	2	0	0	—12
St. Louis	7	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	—10

Batteries—Cuppy and Zimmer; Galvin, Caruthers, Hawke and Buckley.

AT BOSTON.

Bostons	0	5	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	—6
New Yorks	1	1	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	—6

Batteries—Nichols and Bennett; Rusie and Doyle.

Game called at end of the ninth inning on account of darkness.

AT BROOKLYN.

Brooklyns	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	*	—3
Washingtons	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—1

Batteries—Stein and Kinslow; Duryea and Berger.

AT LOUISVILLE.

Louisvillos	2	0	5	4	0	0	0	0	*	—11
Cincinnatis	2	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	—4

Batteries—Stratton and Grim; Rhines and Harrington.

AT CHICAGO.

Chicago	2	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	—5
Pittsburghs	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	3	—4

Batteries—Gumbert and Schriver; Baldwin and Mack and Miller.

AT BALTIMORE.

Baltimore-Philadelphia—Rain.

Scheduled Games for To-Day.

Pittsburghs at Cincinnati.
Clevelands at Louisville.
Baltimores at Boston.
Philadelphias at Brooklyn.
Washingtons at New York.

Southern League.

At Birmingham—Birminghams, 8; Memphis, 1.

At Chattanooga—Montgomerys, 8; Chattanoogas, 7.

At Atlanta—Atlantas, 5; New Orleans, 1.

At Macon—Macons, 8; Mobiles, 1.

FIFTY-SECOND CONGRESS.

First Session.

SENATE.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 2.—In the absence of any other business the senate to-day discussed the Homestead affair with some warmth and personality, Mr. Hawley (Conn.), in the course of the debate, taking occasion to remark that Mr. Palmer, of Illinois, "needed a guardian." At the close of the discussion, a much modified resolution of investigation was adopted providing for a special committee of seven to investigate the "employment of armed bodies of men for private purposes in connection with differences between workmen and employers—the resolution not mentioning either Homestead or the Pinkertons by name.

HOUSE.

The situation in the house has not changed. All absentees will be notified to return, and all leaves of absence are to be revoked. If any absent members shall fail to return or notify the speaker that they are en route to the capital within the ensuing two days the sergeant-at-arms is to enforce their attendance.

Three recesses were taken this morning for the purpose of effecting some satisfactory solution of the question, but nothing was accomplished, although a conference was held, attended by about seventy members, Mr. Dockery (dem., Mo.) presiding. Several propositions were submitted, but not entertained, and a committee of the members was appointed, five for and five against the World's fair appropriation, to consider the matter and report, at a future meeting. The committee is composed of Messrs. Bankhead (Ala.), McMillin (Tenn.), McCreary (Ky.), Cummings (N. Y.) and Culberson (Tex.), who are opposed to the appropriation, and Messrs. Durborrow (Ill.), Williams (Ill.), Fellows (N. Y.), Reilly (Pa.) and Shively (Ind.), who favor it.

No quorum voting on Mr. Bailey's motion to adjourn until Friday, a call of the house ensued, after which the house adjourned until to-morrow.

THEIR PLANS WERE FOILED

And the Abducted County Commissioner Was Returned to His Home.

WICHITA, Kan., Aug. 3.—Amos Farmer, the commissioner of Harper county, who was abducted Monday, returned to his home yesterday, the failure to secure Commissioner Terrill, and thus prevent a meeting of the board, Homestead steel works, charging them with murder. The warrants will probably by be served at once.

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UNITED FOR PLUNDER

A Gigantic Conspiracy to Defraud Unearthed.

FIVE CHICAGO BANKS THE VICTIMS,

And a Syndicate of Well-Connected Young Rogues the Actors—Their Plans Frustrated by Inability to Keep Their Notes from Protest.

CHICAGO, Aug. 3.—The discharge of George Bartels, paying teller of the Central Trust and Savings bank, and his subsequent flight with $3,000 of the firm's cash, has unearthed a gigantic conspiracy to defraud five Chicago banks. The scheme was partly successful, and over $50,000 was secured from Bartels' former employers, but was made good by reputable men who had vouched for the integrity and business ability of the young men who had engaged in the deal.

Another bank is said to have lost $30,000, which amount was also made good by the same sureties.

Three of the men formerly connected with the Chicago Bank Note Co. have been arrested, charged with conspiracy to defraud and the issuance of fraudulent paper. These men are William A. Forbes, N. W. Burnside and Charles M. Anson. George Bartels, the fourth man who is wanted, has left the country. Charles Nichols, a go-between, has made affidavit exposing the whole scheme as far it is known to him. The plot is the most ingenuous ever nipped in the financial arena of this city. The plan was simple. Forbes was manager of the Chicago Bank Note Co.; Burnside, a son of the well-known physician, was associated with Forbes, and Anson was in the employ of the firm. These young men were vouched for by Gen. Allen C. Fuller and numerous men of wealth and financial influence. They opened accounts with the Central Trust and Savings bank, the Globe national bank, the State Bank of Chicago, the First national bank and the Milwaukee-avenue state bank. Immediately they deposited checks, drafts, etc., which have since been found to be fraudulent, and later drew out the cash.

By collision with Bartels the great run of the paper was dumped on the Central trust savings bank. The system that was developed was the work of months. The teller, in the absence of the cashier, certified all paper, and the forged drafts, checks, etc., were only deposited when the higher officials of the bank were out.

The same system was played on the Globe national, it is said, although Vice-President Stone was not in the city yesterday to affirm or deny the statement. It is now learned that the plotters intended to pull all the banks they had deposited money with into their net, and then break up and clear out. However that may be, the paper came to protest too soon to admit of more extended fraud, and the ring was brought up with a round turn. The amount the Central trust and savings bank found itself short was nearly $50,000.

The bank officials had taken every precaution to secure themselves, for while they had been compeled to accept the forged paper of their customers, they were suspicious early in the game. When the end came Allen C. Fuller, who is reported to be worth over $10,000,000, and Dr. Burnside, his brother-in-law, both of whom had had implicit confidence in the young men, paid all the shortage, and none of the banks are out one cent.

Nichols' confession shows that Burnside and Forbes employed him for the specific purpose of acting as a go-between between the banks and the bank note company; Nichols was given money with which to dine, wine, clothe and pay any other bill that Mr. Bartels desired as compensation for keeping him posted on the amount required to meet their clearings, for certifying checks in the absence of the cashier and for making deposits for them with fictitious names whenever required. A number of messenger boys were constantly employed to watch the bank for momentary absences of the cashier, in order to give opportunities for presenting these fraudulent checks to Bartels, in order that they might be placed to the credit of the company and go through before the cashier could examine them. Bartels was ready with a certified check to exchange for the deposit as soon as it came in. These certified checks were taken as fast as cabs could carry them to the Globe, First national or other banks as needed to protect checks issued on them. In the same way certified checks from other banks were given the Central trust and savings bank—always with some display for effect. Often large sums of money were deposited, as has since been learned, for effect.

The Roman Catholic Total Abstinence Union.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Aug. 3.—The twenty-second annual convention of the Roman Catholic Total Abstinence union began in this city, yesterday, with Bishop Cotter, of Winona, in the chair, and about 250 delegates present. Encouraging letters were read from Archbishops Ireland, of St. Paul; Corrigan, of New York; Ryan, of Philadelphia; Janssen, of New Orleans; Elder, of Cincinnati, and Reardon, of San Francisco, and from numerous bishops who were unable to be present. The remainder of the session was taken up with reports from local unions which showed that the membership had very largely increased during the past year. The convention will last until to-morrow night.

Chairman Harrity in New York.

NEW YORK, Aug. 3.—William F. Harrity, chairman of the democratic national committee, arrived here yesterday from Philadelphia.

Chicago Grain Market.

The following were the closing quotations in Chicago at 1:15 p. m. to-day, received by B. Z. Taylor.

LIVE STOCK—Estimated receipts—Hogs—18,000; steady.
Cattle—10,000; steady.
Wheat——; Corn——; Oats——

	AUG.	SEPT.	DEC.
WHEAT	$ .79¼	$ .77¾	$ .80¼
CORN	.49¾	.49¾	.48¾
OATS	.32	.29¾	—

	AUG.	SEPT.
PORK	12.37	12.37
LARD	7.42	7.47
RIBS	7.70	7.70

THE market report is due to Mitchell & A. S. Fanchman.

A GRAND RUSH.

Unprecedented Crowds Thronging Denver to Attend the Triennial Conclave.

DENVER, Col., Aug. 3.—Since the cut rates have been thoroughly announced throughout the country, the railroads find that all their previous arrangements have been completely upset. The tracks in all the yards have been cleared as far as is possible, not to interfere too much with freight business, for the accommodation of the sleeping cars which will be occupied by the visitors, for many of the commanderies have chosen to sleep there rather than in the hotels, and the yards are by no means an unpleasant part of the city.

The reduced rates have resulted in bringing so many more persons than was calculated that there is scarcely accommodations for receiving and tracking the trains.

Some of the roads have not lost sight of the fact that an excellent chance was presented to get much-coveted rights of way over certain tracts and have been placing extra tracks which will be valuable acquisitions long after the conclave is a thing of the past. As the several special trains are approaching, the preparations to meet them and have the city thoroughly attired in her holiday dress to greet the visitors is being pushed.

St. John's Commandery of Philadelphia, with Grand Master Gobin is expected here this evening. All the states' headquarters have been elaborately decorated and are the most attractive club houses in the city.

Great Political Activity.

LONDON, Aug. 3.—Great political activity is noticeable in London now. Around Pall Mall and Carlton house scores of prominent liberals hover, coming and going, Mr. Gladstone's headquarters being the center of attraction. Mr. Gladstone receives frequent visits from John Morley, Sir William Harcourt, Lord Roseberry, Earl Spencer and others of his immediate political circle, with whom he earnestly discusses the formation of the new government and its initial steps in legislation. The Reform and National Liberal clubs are meanwhile the rendezvous of the rank and file of the party, and here groups of well-known workers can constantly be seen, discussing the situation, chiefly in speculation as to the make-up of the cabinet. Frequently a summons breaks up a group, and the fortunate one called has tens away an object of envy to his companions, to be present at some significant consultation with the leaders.

A prominent Liberal said to your correspondent last evening that Mr. Gladstone had made up his mind to announce certain appointments which will cause a sensation. He has long felt it unfair that Englishmen should absorb all the offices, and he would prefer to have representatives of all parts of the kingdom in the ministry. He has, therefore, according to the informant, decided to apportion a few offices to the Irish leaders. Arthur O'Connor will be offered a post as civil lord of the admiralty, and Mr. Sexton will receive the appointment of Irish secretary. But these gentlemen will not be made members of the cabinet, as Mr. Gladstone does not care to irritate the queen too much, lest she exercise her privilege of refusing to receive members of the cabinet who are not agreeable to her.

The Song of the Wabash.

Look at the map. A short glance will convince you that the Wabash is the short line to all western points. From August 3d to 7th, inclusive, we sell tickets at the following low rates. The round trip tickets are good returning until Oct. 11. Denver round trip tickets are good going via Kansas City and returning via Omaha, or vice versa:

Kansas City, one way, $6.
Kansas City, round trip, $8.
Denver, one way, $12.
Denver, round trip, $12.

We will also sell tickets to all western points at greatly reduced rates. Come and see us at city ticket office or Union depot before starting on your journey.

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Dinner Wares.

Our fall line of *Dinner Wares* are arriving and are the most beautiful ever shown here, and will be placed on sale at the low prices that made our China department such a rapid success. In this connection we want to say we sell only the *"foreign makes"* of *China* and *porcelain* and no "crezable" goods. China can not be made in this country that will not "craze," at least they never have been successful in this line yet, and we, wishing to avoid the errors others have made in this line, are handling only the imported makes with a *"century's* reputation."

OTTO E. CURTIS & BRO.

Letter List.

The following is a list of letters remaining uncalled for at the Decatur Postoffice Aug. 2, 1892:

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Bennett J Clark
Bloomingar Frank
Combs Lizzie
Cannon W S
Cockrill Belle
Cochran Mrs J G
Doyle Gertrude
Harrison Chas
Helinguth Harry
Hilton Chas
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Potts Nellie M
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A MONUMENT is to be erected at Paducah, Ky., to Elmer Edwards, the young militia man who was killed on the first night of the race trouble in that city.

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Those who have used Dr. King's New Discovery know its value, and those who have not, have now the opportunity to try it free. Call on the advertised druggist and get a trial bottle, free. Send your name and address to H. E. Bucklen & Co., Chicago, and get a sample box of Dr. King's New Life Pills free, as well as a copy of Guide to Health and Household Instructor, free. All of which is guaranteed to do you good and cost you nothing. King & Wood druggists. dw

TALKING ON TARIFF.

Speech of Gov. McKinley at Beatrice, Neb.

THE LEADING ISSUE OF THE CANVASS

Handled in a Masterly Manner by the Chief Apostle of Protection Before the Largest Audience Ever Assembled in the State.

BEATRICE, Neb., Aug. 3.—The largest audience that ever assembled in Nebraska to hear a political speech gathered at the Beatrice Chatauqua grounds to hear Gov. McKinley yesterday. Uniformed republican clubs from southeastern Nebraska and northeastern Kansas were out in force, and in the parade that escorted Gov. McKinley from the hotel to the Chatauqua grounds were nearly 3,000 members of marching clubs. An audience of 1,500 people listened to the governor's speech which was heartily applauded at all points. When the governor appeared on the platform the applause was tremendous and lasted fifteen minutes. When silence was restored Gov. McKinley spoke as follows:

Gov. McKinley devoted the opening portions of his address to a criticism of the democratic tariff plank, and to a defense of the constitutionality of protective legislation, quoting Jefferson, Madison, Jacison and other early democratic authorities. "The constitutional question is dead," said the speaker. "It is the threadbare objection of the democratic party to every good measure, and it is the objection they offer when every other fails."

Gov. McKinley accused Mr. Cleveland of joining the calamity choir, and after quoting Mr. Cleveland's utterances on the present tariff, made in his speech in Madison Square garden accepting the nomination for the presidency, the speaker continued as follows:

"Mr. Cleveland, I fear, has not consulted the markets since 1890. He had in mind the campaign prices then prevailing and seems not to have been advised of what has occurred since. Mr. Cleveland had not then read the report of the senate committee appointed to investigate the effect of the new tariff law upon the consumer and producer and upon the wages of labor. I commend the careful reading of that document to the distinguished gentleman with the hope that he may correct the error into which he has fallen, and with that rugged honesty which his friends ascribe to him, publicly proclaim the wrong he has done to truth, and the false impression he has made of the legislation of his own country.

The result of the investigation, which has been most careful and scrutinizing and absolutely nonpartisan, shows the decline in the retail price of 214 selected articles of comfort and necessity to be .84 of 1 per cent. less by one method of computation and 1.8 per cent. less by another, since September, 1891, than during the months preceding, and covered by the investigation. This would seem to dispose of Mr. Cleveland's assertion that the tariff has increased prices to the consumer, and leaves his statement devoid of that essential element of strength—truth."

After making a long argument to prove the claim that protection increased wages and lowered the cost of living, Gov. McKinley turned his attention to the effect of the tariff upon the farmer. Protection was of as much benefit to the farmer as to any other class, he said. It made a home demand for his products, and home consumers were better than foreign consumers, because they were nearer the field of production. Millions of dollars of farm products were sold in our industrials centers which would not be raised at all but for the demand they made. The American farmer had 65,000,000 of the most profitable consumers on the globe. The new tariff law gave them exclusive control of this market, and encouraged industries which would increase the number of consumers.

In closing the speaker said: "Tried by any test; measured by any standard, we lead all the rest of the world. Protection has vindicated itself. It cannot be helped by eulogy or hurt by defamation. Our own experience shows that it is best for our citizenship and our civilization and opens up a higher and better destiny for our people."

Gov. McKinley speaks at Lincoln tonight before the republican state convention and on Thursday at Council Bluffs, Ia.

The Inman Restaurant.

John Inman has returned to his old location and business, having succeeded Charles Griffith, as proprietor of the popular Inman restaurant at 136 South Main street. Mr. Inman is now in possession and will be pleased to serve all old and new friends, both in the city and the country. There are 29 sleeping rooms connected with the restaurant. The usual meals will be served and every patron will receive prompt and courteous attention. m126-d&w4w

A HORSE died near Patterson Springs, N. C., one day last week, who was 33 years, 6 months old.

BUSINESS MEN.

We present below the testimony of some well-known business men of Peoria, who have tried Reid's German Cough and Kidney Cure and know whereof they speak. Matthew Henebery, the vice-president of the First National Bank of Peoria, and a gentleman of great wealth, says: "I have tried Reid's German Cough and Kidney Cure, and think it is the best cough medicine in the world. We use it in the house constantly."

E. S. Easton, the well known grain dealer and capitalist, of Peoria, says: "I have tried Reid's German Cough and Kidney Cure and think it is the best remedy I ever saw."

A. J. Neil, manufacturer, of Peoria, says: "I have used Reid's German Cough and Kidney Cure and found great relief from first dose and cure from repeated doses. It is the best cough remedy on the market." If your druggist will not get you this great remedy, write to us. Large bottles 50 cents, small ones 25c.

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300 PAIRS LIGHT-WEIGHT PANTS, especially adapted for young men, as they are narrow waisted. Former price $5 and $5.50, to be closed at $3 and $3.50.

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100 MIDSUMMER WASHABLE VESTS, Single and Double Breasted We close them at $1.25.

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Ladies' Light Percale Wrappers, $1.25
Ladies' Blue Percale Wrappers, - 1.50
Ladies' Fine Lawn and Dimity Wrappers, - - - 1.75
Ladies' Wash Skirts at - - - 50c
Ladies' Wash Skirts at - - - 75c
Black Satteen Skirts at $1.50 and $2
Black Silk Skirts at - - $2.98
All of our Fine Silk skirts, worth $9, $10 and $12, will be closed out for $5.95
60 Ladies' Fine Black Hose, regular made, six pairs for - - - $1.00
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Excursion RATES. BIG CUT.

HANAN'S

$6.00 Calf Shoes Cut to $4.00.
$7.00 Patent Leather Shoes all go now at $5.00.
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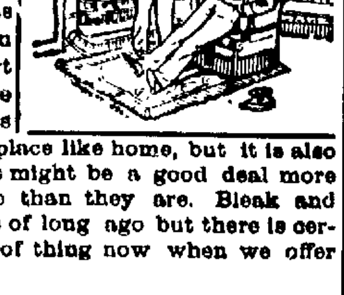

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WEDNESDAY EVE., AUG. 3, 1892.

Democratic Juggling.

After signing a report made after careful and close investigation by the Special Senate Committee appointed in 1891 to inquire into the effects of the McKinley tariff act, which report states that the prices of the necessaries of life have declined, and that there has been a slight increase in wages, Senator Carlisle a few days ago tried to destroy the force of the facts stated by that report.

He said that in the unprotected industries represented by bakers, blacksmiths, bricklayers, cabinetmakers carpenters, common laborers, farm laborers, machinists, masons, iron moulders, painters, tailors and tin smiths, the average increase of wages for the period covered by the investigation, namely 14 months prior to the passage of the McKinley law and 11 months since its passage, was 75-100 of 1 per cent while in the highly protected industries the wages of the workmen in the production of bar iron, boots and shoes, cotton goods, crucible steel, flint glass, green glass, lumber, machinery, pig-iron, steel ingots, steel blooms, steel rails, window glass and woolen goods had fallen 80-100 of 1 per cent, as against a rise of 75-100 per cent in the unprotected industries named.

The Senator gives out these conjured up figures for the purpose of leaving the impression among weak-kneed Democrats that a protective tariff does not protect labor. In the first place he convicts his party with his own figures. The tariff on the products of what he calls protected industries when imported except in the one item of woolen goods was either reduced or left at what it was under the old act by the McKinley law. In most cases the tariff was reduced, and if a reduction of wages has followed, does that fact not attest the fallacy of the Democratic claim that a reduction of duties will not lower wages?

But Senator Carlisle does not treat this matter fairly. No protectionist ever claimed that a protective tariff would only affect the wages of those who work in protected industries. Such an assumption belongs only to the enemies of protection. Protection is for the purpose of diversifying industries, first by the establishing of industries the like products of which otherwise would be produced abroad and sold in this market. These industries cannot be established without creating other wants, and thus creating and stimulating other industries and opening opportunities for labor in other fields. The demand for labor through the stimulation of business makes labor more profitable. A fair illustration of this principle is found in the building of Homestead through the establishment of the iron mills by protection. In that case in building and maintaining the town every class of workmen were benefitted, and also the farmers.

Take the tin industry which is now being built up in this country by protection. It will of course be represented by mills scattered all over the country and its benefits to what Senator Carlisle calls the unprotected industries and labor cannot readily be seen. But the benefits will exist for all that. Suppose that instead of being scattered the entire tin industry were built up to the extent of making all the tin plate our people wi consume on some spot on our prairies where there is no other requisite save railroads and land. The result would be that the business of the railroads would be increased and the land owner would have a better market for his land. It is estimated that to produce the amount of tin we consume would afford a living to 700,000 people, all of which would be based on this one industry. This means a city of 700,000 people, which would have to be built all based on this one industry. This cannot be done without first giving employment to brickmasons, carpenters, hod carriers, blacksmiths, painters, printers, plumbers, tobacconists, lawyers, doctors, dentists, merchants, storekeepers, ministers and every class of laborers found in a city of 700,000 people. This would give rise to the multiplication of other factories to supply their wants. Of course this new industry which will do so much will not be built upon one spot, but, however much it is scattered the benefits to all classes of labor and profession must amount to the same. There is no end to the benefits of protection and it benefits labor whether in protected or unprotected industries.

The Note of the Demagogue.

In the speeches of acceptance of both Cleveland and Stevenson the note of the demagogue rings out clearly and audibly. Said Cleveland:

Our workingmen are still told the tale, oft repeated in spite of its falsity, that the existing protective tariff is a boon to them, and that under its beneficent operation the wages must increase, while as they listen, scenes are enacted in the very abiding place of high protection that mock the hopes of toil and attest the tender mercy the workingmen received from those made selfish and sordid by unjust governmental favoritism.

Said Stevenson:

Recent occurrences in a neighboring State have sadly emphasized the fact that a high protective tariff affords no protection, and tends in no way to better the condition of those who earn their bread by daily toil.

Congressman Oates, of Alabama, was chairman of the Democratic Congressional committee which went to Homestead to investigate the labor troubles there. No one has ever challenged the simon-pure quality of Mr. Oates's Democracy. When he returned from Homestead he said "that the workmen at Homestead were far above the average in intelligence and seemed to be fairly prosperous, living in good, comfortable houses. He saw none of the poverty common in great manufacturing centres. Many of the men, particularly the skilled workmen, made good wages, some of them as high as $275 per month. Others made only $50 per month. The common laborers earned from $1.00 to $1.50 a day."

And yet the Democratic candidate maunders about "mocking the hope of toil." Where but in this smiling land can be found men working in iron who are paid wages of $1,000, $2,000, $3,600, and even $5,000 a year? If there were no protective tariff there would be no Homestead. The American people understand that in spite of Mr. Cleveland and will decide accordingly.

Figures Which Tell.

Chicago *Evening Journal:* Figures speak louder than fancies to people of an intelligent state, and figures will speak loudly in the present Illinois campaign. The Democratic leaders are making special pleas and special pledges, and are trying to divert attention to numerous side issues, but the persistent figures continue coming to the front in an irritating way. And among these figures are those relating to the tax levy. The matter of taxes is what interests the voter.

Republican rule in Illinois has been a success, and the people know it. Democratic rule has not been a success, and only the ignorant fail to appreciate this fact as well. Four years ago the tax levy in this state was 53 cents on $100. It is now 33 cents—a reduction of over one-third! Here is the result of a wise and prudent administration of state finances and state affairs—that is, of a Republican administration.

To the man who is not a hide-bound partisan the same consideration should appeal in influencing his ballot, which would affect him in engaging a man to build a brick wall. Who will build the wall well and for the least money? Which party will manage the affairs of the state well and for the least money? The Republican party points simply to its record here.

There is a vast difference between 53 and 33 per cent in a tax bill, and every hard-working farmer, every man who pays taxes in any way, has felt and knows it. He has felt, and feels to-day, the good influence of Republican rule in Illinois, and he is not going to change it at the request of a party which has failed here in the past but is anxious to try the experiment again. Figures tell.

The American People Accused.

In his speech notifying Cleveland of his nomination, Wilson, of West Virginia, addressed the following hifalutin' remark to the Democratic candidate:

Four years ago in the mid-career of a service that well deserved the highest honors your countrymen could bestow, as we feel sure that it will receive the highest encomiums that history can award, you were struck down because, as a democrat, you could make no terms with those who wished to plunder the people's treasury, or those who sought to perpetuate the passions of civil strife.

Now, it must be remembered that it was the whole American people that Cleveland threw his free trade message full in the face of. It is true that, after having done so, he tried, and his friends in every way tried, to make terms with the offended American people, but they declined to be conciliated. And now this smart Mr. Wilson has the impertinence to say to the nation that its refusal to be conciliated was due to a purpose to "plunder the people's treasury" and "perpetuate the passions of civil strife."

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, } ss.
LUCAS COUNTY, }

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A MONUMENT is to be erected at Paducah, Ky., to Elmer Edwards, the young militia man who was killed on the first night of the race trouble in that city.

Take Good Care of the Children.

If you have children, you will be interested in the experience of Mr. John Cook, of Pilot, Vermilion county, Ill. He says: "Two years ago two of my family, a young man and a girl, had very severe and dangerous attacks of bloody flux. The doctor here was unable, after a week's time, to check or relieve either case. I threw the doctor overboard and began using Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. Improvement was seen very soon and my children arose in a few days from what I feared would be their deathbed. It is a grand, good medicine." For sale by Swearingen & Tyler and at Neisler's Pharmacy. d&w

IN Morgan county, Missouri, is an onyx deposit which forms the floor of a cave for a distance of one hundred yards or more.

The World is Better for It.

The world is better because of such a remedy as Ballard's Snow Liniment, because this article relieves it of much pain and misery, and thus we are enabled to enjoy its bright side. It positively cures all forms of Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Headache, Sick Headache, Lame Back, all Sores and Wounds, Cuts, Sprains, Bruises, Stiff Joints, Contracted Muscles, Poison, Eruptions, Corns, Weak Back, and all pain and inflammation on man or beast. Its the best because its the most penetrating. Beware of all white Liniments, which may be palmed off on you for Ballard's Snow Liniment. There is none like it. Sold by Swearingen & Tyler. 4-d&w

A HORSE died near Patterson Springs, N. C., one day last week, who was 33 years, 6 months old.

Good Looks.

Good looks are more than skin deep depending upon a healthy condition of all the vital organs. If the Liver be inactive, you have a Bilious Look, if your stomach be disordered you have a Dyspeptic Look, and if your Kidneys be affected you have a Pinched Look. Secure good health and you will have good looks. Electric Bitters is the great alterative and tonic, acts directly on these vital organs. Cures Pimples, Blotches, Boils, and gives a good complexion. Sold at King & Wood's drug store, 50c per bottle. dm

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A Sound Liver Makes a Well Man

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MR. GLADSTONE first spoke in the house of commons on May 17, 1833, fifty-nine years ago.

Mr. Lander's Recommendation.

Mr. J. A. Lander, a prominent citizen of Clarksburg, Mo., and widely known in that state, says of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy; "I have seen its good results and can recommend it." For sale by Swearingen & Tyler and at Neisler's Pharmacy. d&w

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For summer wear, in sateen, percales and silk, best assortment at Linn & Scruggs Dry Goods & Carpet Co. d&w

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may retain its youthful color, fullness, and beauty, dress it daily with
Ayer's Hair Vigor
It cleanses the scalp, cures humors, and stimulates a new growth of hair
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A $75 PASTEL PORTRAIT.

L. F. Abrams, the Popular Photographer, Makes a Liberal Offer.

L. F. Abrams, the artist over Peddecord & Burrows' bank, third floor, has made the following offers to the public. He will give away a $75 pastel portrait, a crayon and one platinotype, as follows:

The lady bringing in a baby for one dozen cabinets and being the prettiest and nicest baby I will make a pastel free of charge, valued at $75. Child must be under two years old.

The lady bringing in the fattest baby for one dozen cabinets, will make a $25 crayon free of charge. Baby must be under two years old.

Anyone bringing in a child for one dozen cabinets between two and eight years old, and taking the best picture, I will present party with a platinotype, new and stylish, valued at $15.

The above inducement will hold until August 8th, when three disinterested parties will be selected as judges and the several choices will be made, the prizes to be awarded as above. It is a splendid opportunity for people who have children to get a fine piece of work of their child. It will be necessary for those desiring the same to place their orders at the earliest date, for the contest closes August 8th.
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Do You Know It.

A common cough is the most dangerous thing in the world to neglect; a slight hacking cough is also very dangerous, as it always leads to Bronchitis and Consumption. Don't neglect them. In selecting a remedy for coughs, colds and Bronchitis, be sure and get one that is not full of Opium and one that will not produce Constipation. Ballard's Horehound Syrup does not constipate, remember this. It is perfectly harmless for children, and it's the most soothing and healing Throat and Lung medicine in the world. It cures Consumption, Coughs, Colds, Sore Throat, Asthma, Whooping Cough, Croup, Bronchitis, Hoarseness, Sore Lungs, tickling in the throat and greatly strengthens the Lungs after Pneumonia. Sold by Swearingen & Tyler. 4d&w

THE nation's railroads earned $87,000,000 during May.

"ROYAL RUBY" PORT WINE.

The feebler the constitution, the more susceptible the system is to the causes of disease, and the less competent it is to struggle with sickness. Hence where there is a deficiency of natural stamina the physique should be protected and strengthened by the best invigorant that nature produced. Insist on your druggist or dealer giving you "Royal Ruby" Port Wine accept no substitute "just as good" which they may offer you.

The pure Oporto grape juice, old rich and mellow, has that fruity taste so seldom found, no matter what price is paid. Quart bottles $1.00; pints 60 cts. Sold and guaranteed by Dr. A. J. Stoner, druggist.

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EXCURSION TO CINCINNATI AND DAYTON.—On Tuesday, August 4, 1892, the I., D. & W. will run an excursion to Cincinnati and the Soldiers' National Home, Dayton, Ohio, via Indianapolis and C., H. & D. Ry. Special train will leave Decatur at 5:30 a. m. August 4. Fare for the round trip only $4.00 to either place. Parties desiring to visit both places will be charged $1.00 extra for side trip. Tickets will be good returning until the 7th. For further information call at city ticket office or Union depot. C. G. Dorwin, G. A., I., D. & W. 30-dtd

$7 Niagara Falls Excursion. $7

On August 10th the I., D. & W. R. R., in connection with the C., H. & D. and Michigan Central R. R., will run a Niagara Falls excursion, leaving Decatur at 10 20 p. m. Route is via. Indianapolis, Detroit and Michigan Central R. R. through Canada. Secure sleeping and chair car space immediately at at I., D. & W. city ticket office or at union depot. jul27-d&wtd

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WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 3.
Richards & Pringle's
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Suits—Lounges.
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You will take notice that the undersigned intends making application to the regular meeting of the City Council of the city of Decatur, Illinois, on the 15th day of August, A. D. 1892, for a license to retail intoxicating liquors in a house or building designated and known as the Amphitheater building situated upon the property of the Decatur Trotting Association, and described as follows, to-wit: The southeast quarter of the southwest quarter of section number two (2) in township number sixteen (16), north, range two east of the third principal meridian, and situated in Macon county, Illinois, which said house or building is owned by said Decatur Trotting Association.

Dated at Decatur, Illinois, this 30th day of July, A. D. 1892. G. A. KELLER.
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Our entire stock of best Standard Prints at 4c a yard.
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Ladies' Jersey Vests, worth 20c, reduced to 9c.
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Gents' Full Balbriggan Pants and Vest for $1.00, worth $1.50.

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10 dozen Celebrated Pearl Unlaundried Shirts at 75c each.
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The T. H. P. R. R., in connection with the C., B. & Q., is the shortest and quickest line to Denver, leaving Decatur at 11:35 a. m., arriving in Denver at 6 p. m. the next evening. Commencing Aug. 3 to 7, inclusive, the rate for the round trip will be $12.00; tickets good returning until Oct. 11. For further information call at general ticket office T. H. & P. R. R. 252 North Water St. 29dtd

Cheap Rate to Denver.

On Aug. 3 to 7, T. Peniwell will sell tickets to Denver and return for $14.00; Kansas City round trip $9.50, and one way $7.50; round trip tickets good until Oct. 11. Short line to Denver. Call at city ticket office I. C. and P. D. & E., 249 North Water St.

T. H. & P. Low Rates to Kansas City

Round trip Decatur to Kansas City, $9.50
Single trip " " " " $7.50
Good going August 31 to 7th; good returning until Oct. 11th. Call at T. H. & P. General Ticket office, 352 N. Water st.

White Mountain Freezers.

Triple motion White Mountain Freezers are the best. We have a few that were discolored on the outside by smoke from our fire, which we will sell at a sacrifice. Now is the time to get the BEST Freezer cheap.

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FAST black hosiery in fine Egyptia cotton, Lisle thread and Silks. Best values can be found by purchasing at Linn & Scruggs Dry Goods & Carpet Co.'s.
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A TRIBAL law in Mashona, Central Africa, decrees the death by drowning of twin babies immediately after they are born.

Dr. JOHN BULL'S SARSAPARILLA.

Happy the household where the women folks are cheerful, contented, healthy and happy. How pitiable the home where mother, sister, or wife lies ill. How grand the remedy that is suited to the ills of women-kind and that will restore nervous, sickly, aching, despondent and

WEAK WOMEN

to robust health and strength. Such a remedy is Dr. John Bull's Sarsaparilla. It revives, strengthens, and regulates the feminine constitution. Mrs. Mary F. Wilkinson, Jackson, Tenn., writes: "I was a very healthy woman before my marriage, but dating from an accident my health got to be very bad. My complexion became sallow. I became nervous and sleepless; I grew thin and despondent. My appetite was fickle, and what I ate laid like lead upon my stomach. My habits were irregular, and I was

MADE

to suffer much pain. I used prescriptions of several good doctors, but my ailments increased. A bearing down pain about my back and loins seemed as if it would kill me. I was subject to frequent headaches and bilious attacks. In this condition I began a use of Dr. Bull's Sarsaparilla. It seemed precisely suited to my condition. Every spoonful seemed to go to the right spot. I soon showed great improvement, and my friends rejoiced at my returning health. I used it during the months of March and April, and give it all the credit for my present enjoyment of life and good health. It is a boon to weak and suffering women and will make them

STRONG.

Nelly Davis, Helena, Ark., writes: "Dr. Bull's Sarsaparilla has improved my health wonderfully, also greatly improved my looks. I had eruptions on my skin but they have disappeared, and I was very weak, with no appetite, and at times suffered great pain, but now I feel quite well again."

Smith's Tonic Syrup is the only sure cure for Chills and Fever

Dr. John Bull's Worm Destroyer.

This remedy never fails to give satisfaction. Try it when children act peevish and cross. It may be worms that ails them. It tastes good. Price 25 cents at drug stores or sent by mail by John D. Park & Sons Co., wholesale agents, 175 and 177 Sycamore street, Cincinnati, Ohio.

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TAR SOAP
Healthful, Agreeable, Cleansing.
Cures
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Best for General Household Use.

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For Sale, For Rent, Wanted, Etc.

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LOST—A ladies' gold watch and chain with "From Father to Lida" engraved on the inside case. A liberal reward will be given the finder for its return to Miss Jennie B. Taylor's millinery store, No. 159 North Water street. aug3-d1w*

WANTED—To buy a good, second-hand delivery wagon. Call at No. 243 North Main street. 29-d1w

W. A. BOYD—House and Sign Painter, Graining, Calcimining and Paper-hanging, 147 South Water St. Satisfaction guaranteed. july28 dtf

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FOR ADOPTION—Two babies—a boy and a girl. Apply at the Woman's Exchange jul27-d6

FOR SALE—Four $500-bonds by the village of Blue Mound, due in five years, bearing interest at the rate of 6 per cent per annum, payable annually and issued as public improvement bonds. Apply to O. T. KIRK, president of the Board of Trustees, Blue Mound, Ill. july25-dtf

FOR RENT—A building 40x60, suitable for shop or small factory; has been used for commission business for two years past. Rent low. JOHN A. BROWN. july20-d2w

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LADIES HAIR WORK—In every style worn, and ventilated curls, frizzes, bangs and wigs made to order. Hair cutting for ladies and children a specialty. MRS. BOWMAN, Merchant street, over Stine's clothing store. f23-dtf

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Master in Chancery's Sale.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MACON COUNTY, }
In the Circuit Court.
Abraham W. Conklin } No. 14088.
vs. }
Simpson B. Downs et al. } Bill for Foreclosure.

Public notice is hereby given, that in pursuance of a decree of the circuit court of Macon county, in the state of Illinois, entered in the above entitled cause, at the June term of said court, A. D. 1892, I, James J. Finn, master-in-chancery of said court, will, on

Saturday, August 27th, 1892,

at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m., at the west entrance to the stairway leading to the circuit court room in Decatur, in said county, offer for sale to the highest and best bidder for cash in hand, subject to redemption, according to law, the following described real estate, to-wit: The northeast quarter of the southwest quarter, and the west half of the northwest quarter of the southeast quarter, northwest quarter of the southwest quarter of the southeast quarter, all in section 25, township 16 north, range two east of the 3d p. m., containing 70 acres, more or less, situated in the county of Macon and state of Illinois.

Dated at Decatur, this 27th day of July, 1892.
JAMES J. FINN, Master-in-Chancery.
MILLS BROS. & MILLS, Solicitors.
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Master in Chancery's Sale.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MACON COUNTY, }
In the Circuit Court.
People's Savings and Loan Association vs. } No. 14091.
Charles A. Holland et al } Bill for Foreclosure

Public notice is hereby given that in pursuance of a decree of the circuit court of Macon county, in the state of Illinois, entered in the above entitled cause at the June term of said court, A. D. 1892, I, James J. Finn, master in chancery of said court, will, on

Saturday, August 27th, 1892,

at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m., at the west outside entrance to the stairway leading to the circuit court room in Decatur, in said county, offer for sale to the highest and best bidder for cash in hand, subject to redemption according to law, the following described real estate: Lot five in block eight of Higgins' addition to the city of Decatur, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois.

Dated at Decatur, Illinois, this 27th day of July, 1892.
JAMES J. FINN, Master in Chancery.
W. C. JOHNS, Solicitor. jul27-dtd

Administrator's Notice.

Estate of Frances Bashford, Deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed administrator of the estate of Frances Bashford, late of the county of Macon, and state of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the county court of Macon county, at the court house in Decatur, at the August term, on the first Monday in August next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 18th day of June, 1892.
j18-d3w E. PARK, Administrator

Administrator's Notice.

Estate of Joseph Heckel, Deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed Administrator of the estate of Joseph Heckel, late of the county of Macon and State of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the County Court of Macon County, at the court house in Decatur, at the September term, on the first Monday in September next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

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Administrator's Sale.

I will offer for sale at public auction at the west door of the Court House, Decatur, Illinois, on

Saturday, the 20th day of August next,

between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 5 p. m., the personal property belonging to the estate of David Garver, deceased, consisting in part of the following articles, to wit:

One clock, 1 bath tub, 1 sofa, 2 valises, 1 electric battery, 1 chair commode, 1 box commode, ¼ barrel of sugar, with a lot of household and kitchen furniture.

TERMS OF SALE—All sums in excess of five dollars, nine months credit will be given with note with approved security. All sums of five dollars and under cash.

JEROME R. GORIN,
Administrator Estate David Garver, Deceased.
Decatur, Ill., July 18, 1892. d4w

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Chancery Notice.

ILLINOIS, ss.

In the Circuit Court for the September Term, 1892.

IN CHANCERY.

Common evidence in this state of Illinois, the defendant in the above entitled cause having filed in the office of the Circuit Court of said county, notice given to the said Maud Hughes, a minor, complainant herein, of the filing of her bill of complaint in the chancery side thereof, and the said cause being still pending, and the process issued out of said court against the above named defendant, returnable on the first day of the next September term thereof, to be held in Decatur, in said county, on the fourth Monday in the month of September, A. D. 1892. Now, unless you, the said defendant, shall be and appear on the first day of said court and plead, answer or demur to the said bill of complaint, the same will be taken as true and a decree rendered in the premises according to the prayer thereof.

Witness, J. H. McCULLAGH, Clerk of said court. Decatur, Illinois, this 6th day of July, A. D. 1892.

J. H. McCULLAGH, Clerk.

Application for Pardon.

Notice is hereby given that on or after July 15th, 1892, I will be made to the Governor of Illinois for the pardon or commutation of sentence of Charles Harris, who was convicted in Macon county, Illinois, of the crime of burglary, and sentenced on the 10th day of October, 1890, to the penitentiary for a term of two years.

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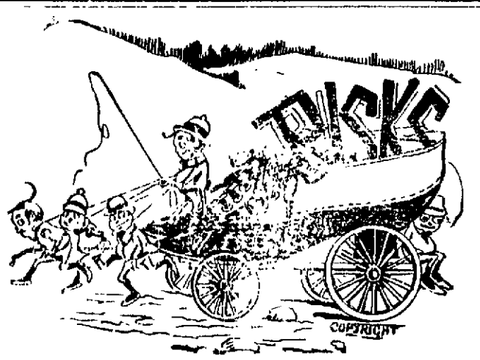

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READ AND MAKE A NOTE OF SOME OF THE BARGAINS WE OFFER:

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25 " Challies, the regular 12½c goods, now go at 7c.

In One Lot, Wool Challies, the 25c kind, we will close at 14c

25 Pieces Curtain Scrim, the regular 10 and 12½c kind, all at 4¾c

500 pairs Nottingham Lace Curtains 75c and $1.00 per pair, being Half Price.

25 pieces Turkey Red Table Damask, colors fast, go at 22c, worth 40 and 50c.

50 " Good Twill Crash Toweling, the 6¼c kind, at 2¾c.

All of our 50 and 60c Summer Corsets, EVERY PAIR WARRANTED, at 33c.

70 doz. Ladies' Fast Black Hosiery, the 20 and 25c grades, at 10, 12½ and 15.

50 doz. Ladies' Fast Black Hosiery, fine grade, the regular 40c kind, 24c.

54 doz. Ladies' Fancy Regular Made Hose, the regular 50c kind, Reduced to 25c

24 doz. Ladies' Pure Silk Mitts, Reduced from 40c down to 25c.

32 doz Ladies' Fine Silk Mitts, Reduced from 60 and 65c down to 40c.

19 doz Ladies' Fine Silk Mitts, Reduced from 75 and 85c down to 50c.

100 doz Ladies' Jersey Vests, the regular 15c grade, Reduced to 7c.

55 doz Children's Vests, the regular 10c grade, Reduced to 4c.

100 doz Ladies' Standing Collars, with Capes, the 10c kind at 1c each.

55 doz Ladies' Cuffs to match, the 12½c kind at 1c per pair.

150 doz White Twill Tapes, all widths, sold usually 2 for 5c, 1c per roll.

200 doz papers good Pins, the 5c kind, 1c a paper.

15 Cartons Satin Ribbons, Nos. 5 to 12, all at 5c per yard.

500 yards White Domett Flannels, 32 inches wide, at 4½c, worth 10c.

100 Lancaster Quilts, largest size, regular $1.00 Quilt, now 74c.

At $3.74 and $5.24 we will close out the balance of our WOOL SUIT PATTERNS with Linings, Bones, Buttons and Shields all complete in two lots—$3.74 and $5.24.

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WEDNESDAY EVE., AUG. 3, 1892.

LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

DENZ & SON, tailors.

READ O. M. Anstead's Clearing Sale advertisement on this page.

THERE is enough labor mapped out in Decatur to keep everybody at work until snow flies.

GENTS outing shirts at special bargains. Come and see them at Linn & Scruggs Dry Goods & Carpet Co. d&w

THE place to get what you want for the table is at Philip Kemper's store, 801 North Water street.

THE Grand Opera House cigars, made by Keck & Weigand, are the best in town. mar25-dtf

DON'T fail to patronize Hanks & Co. when you want good groceries. The store is at 143 South Water street. Everything first-class.

SATISFACTION is always guaranteed when you use Rock Plaster the best plastering material made. Manufactured by Decatur Rock Plaster Co. 2-dtf

BARGAIN prices are now offered at C. B. Prescott's music store in standard pianos and organs—all first-class instruments perfect in tune, elegant in finish and each a parlor ornament.

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TRY the "A. B. C. Bohemian Bottled Beer" made by the American Brewing Co. of St. Louis. Pure, golden, sparkling, nourishing. Geo. W. Kraft, Agt. 1t

THE program of the prohibition club to-morrow night at the old Presbyterian church, will include recitations, music by the glee club, short addresses and general discussion. People of all political opinions and especially the ladies are invited to attend.

THE Woman's Foreign Missionary society of Grace M. E. church will hold its regular monthly meeting on Thursday at 2:30 p. m., at the residence of Mrs. W. F. Dennis, 1534 North Water street. All ladies of the church and congregation are invited to attend.

THERE seems to be an erroneous impression here that persons going to Denver, via the T. H. & P. R. R., with the Knights Templar August 6th, cannot get sleepers until they get to Peoria. Beaumanoir Commandery has arranged for a through sleeper from Decatur, leaving here at 11:35 August 6th, arriving at Denver at 6 p. m. August 7th.

SUN UMBRELLAS in great variety, Glorias, Windsors, Silks, Serges, and Levantines, nobby styles in handles, all Paragon frames, at Linn & Scruggs Dry Goods & Carpet Co.'s. d&wtf

A VERY enjoyable party was given and a most elegant supper was served at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Whitehurst, 1219 East Eldorado street, Tuesday, August 2, by the Ladies' Aid Society of the U. B. church, in honor of Mrs. M. M. Gardner, of Edmore, Montcalm county, Michigan. Mrs. Gardner has been visiting her sister and daughter, Mrs. J. A. F. King and Miss Jennie Gardner, and is now contemplating a return to her home in Michigan, Tuesday, August 9.

"OH, if I had only taken this medicine earlier in life, what years of suffering it would have saved me!" was the touching exclamation of one who had been cured of rheumatism by the use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Scores of such cases are on record.

THE train carrying Beaumanoir Commandery to Denver will leave Decatur via the T. H. & P. at 11:35 a. m., Aug. 6th. This train will have a through sleeper and day coach from Decatur to Denver without change. Parties taking the train at Decatur will have no change of cars between this city and Denver. At Peoria this train will join the special train carrying Grand Eminent Commander T. O. Spring and party. This train will also have a dining car and an observation car from Peoria.

Removal Sale.

The Abel Carpet & Wall Paper Co. is in its new store on North Water street, just north of Race's Clothing Co. Moving hurriedly to give Hatch Bros. possession we did not reduce stock as we had intended, therefore we will in the new building for ten days sell remnants regardless of cost and everything less than value. This is the last call. d&wtf

That Goat

Oxford for ladies, in tan or red, doubly reduced to close out; Pengree & Smith's make, worth $2 and $2.25, sacrificed at $1.25 a pair. Cost, profits, actual value, all ignored in our great season ending sale of summer footwear. A genuine French Kid Button Boot for ladies at $1.60 a pair, at Powers' Shoe Store. July 27-d&wtf

THE greatest white lead works ever constructed will be built in Chicago; it will include fifteen big buildings, capacity one thousand tons per week. Several railroads are competing for the site to secure the traffic.

The Old Timers Are Not In It.

While at our other store at Big Island, Va., last April, I was taken with a very severe attack of diarrhoea. I never had it worse in my life. I tried several old time remedies, such as Blackberry Wine, Paregoric and Laudanum without getting any relief. My attention was then called to Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy by Mr. R. C. Tinsley who had been handling it there, and in less than five minutes after taking a small dose [illegible] C.

REPUBLICAN CLUB.

Big Meeting at the Court House — Joined the State League.

WILL GO TO SPRINGFIELD AUGUST 18.

Uniform Adopted — Black Plug Hat and White Coat—Delegates Elected — Transportation Committee Selected—All in Line for Active Work.

The Republicans of all ages in Decatur are ready for active campaign work. They are more zealous and enthusiastic than ever. It is no trouble whatever to get up a big meeting. The voters come out in goodly numbers, and it doesn't take a brass band to draw them to the place of meeting. All know that the Republicans are going to make a clean sweep this year on the National, state, congressional, legislative and county tickets and every Republican is ready to put his shoulder to the wheel and assist in the crushing defeat of the Democrats.

CLUB MEETING.

The adjourned meeting of the Young Men's Republican Club was held at the court house last night. The attendance was large and considerable business was transacted, but before the meeting was called to order many signatures to the roll of membership were secured. Everybody 18 years of age and over were invited to sign, and all the blank paper in sight was used.

President Harry Midkiff was in the chair and despatched the business promptly. The minutes of the first meeting of the club were read by Secretary Skelley and approved, and then came the report of the meeting of the executive committee, which recommended that the organization be known as the Young Men's Republican Club of Decatur; that the club join the Republican State League, of which W. W. Tracy is president, James W. Patterson secretary, Charles Deere treasurer, Richard Yates and A. J. Lester assistant secretaries, and that all 18 years of age and over be eligible to membership in the club. The committee also reported that A. H. Mills had been selected as vice president in the sixth district in place of C. M. Imboden who cannot serve, and that W. T. Dillehunt in the first district had requested that another man be selected in his place. The report of the committee on each point was adopted, on motion of C. N. Twadell.

An outline of the State League constitution was read by the secretary, showing that the League is formed to strengthen the Republican party in campaign work; that the club cannot be used in any sense to further the interest of any candidate until after nominations are made; that a quorum shall consist of five members, and that a majority vote shall rule on all questions.

A letter from President W. W. Tracy was read, asking that five delegates be elected to represent the club at the state meeting to be held on August 18th at Springfield. On motion of B. A. McGorray the club proceeded to nominate delegates as follows: C. N. Twadell, E. G. Allen, James M. Lee, H. W. Bartholomew, B. A. McGorray, John H. Goding, W. F. Calhoun, W. C. Johns, John A. Brown, Ed Mills and Hue Singleton. Messrs. Goding, Calhoun and Singleton declined to become candidates for election. J. W. McClellan John Goding and Dr. Collins were appointed tellers, and the vote resulted: Twadell, 68, Allen, 69; Bartholomew, 63; Johns, 51; Wills, 58; Lee, 45; Brown, 42. The first named five were declared elected, and on motion of W. A. Holman the delegates were empowered to select their own alternates.

C. M. Imboden, treasurer of the 1888 campaign club, submitted his report, showing the total receipts to have been $1,337.43; expenses, $1,335.82; balance, $1.61. On motion of E. G. Allen the report was received and placed on file, and Mr. Imboden was tendered a hearty vote of thanks.

The proposition to run an excursion train to Springfield on Thursday, August 18, to attend the convention of Republican League clubs, was received with enthusiasm, and on motion of Mr. Allen the club voted to engage a train. At that meeting many republicans of national reputation will be present, among them the Hon. Whitelaw Reid, nominee for vice-president. A cheap round-trip rate will be secured for the trip, and if possible 300 to 400 members of the Decatur Escort club will go down in uniform. On motion the president appointed a committee on transportation as follows: E. G. Allen, C. A. Pollock, Ed Wills, C. L. Hovey and Walter M. Strange.

On motion of Mr. Holman the president was instructed to appoint the finance committee. The names will be reported at the next meeting.

Chairman H. F. Ehrman for the committee on uniform made a verbal report, presenting samples which the committee thought would be acceptable. He said they had not decided upon any particular style, preferring to have the club as a whole make the choice. The committee presented black and dapper gray plug hats, and white and duck sacque coats, single and double-breasted, with double rows of flat brass buttons down in front. The coats and hats were displayed, and W. F. Martin offered a motion that the black hat and double-breasted duck coat be adopted as the club uniform. H. F. Ehrman offered an amendment that the black hat and light white coat be adopted. Remarks were made by D. C. Corley and E. G. Allen, and the Ehrman amendment was adopted. It was stated that the white coat would stand washing better and it would look neater than the duck. Subsequently it was voted to adopt an umbrella as a part of the uniform, the committee on uniform to select the color and style.

Ed Wills brought up the matter of permanent headquarters for the club, and Chairman Lytle of the county central committee, stated that the committee had two or three good rooms in view and would report in due time.

C. N. Twadell suggested that the club proceed to elect officers of the Escort Club. On motion of Mr. Allen it was decided to elect the officers at the next meeting. A. H. Cope's motion that the roll for the signatures of additional members of the club at the REPUBLICAN office. Quite a number called at the office to-day and signed the roll.

On motion of Mr. Lytle the club adjourned to meet again at the court house next Tuesday, August 9th, at 8 o'clock, when excursion and other business will receive attention.

The Uniform coats will be made to order by the Race Clothing Manufacturing company at $1.00 each and the black hats can be had of any dealer at $2.50 each. These were the prices reported last night by the committee.

THE COMING RACES.

$7,000 in Purses—Fast Horses to Be on the Mile Track.

D. A. Maffit, president, G. A. Keller, secretary, and the entire board of directors of the Decatur Trotting association feel quite enthusiastic over the approaching race meeting, to be held at the park August 30 to September 2. It will be the biggest and best meeting in the history of the association, and as the purses aggregate $7,000, some of the best horses in the west will be in the ring to go on the new mile track, which is now complete and in excellent shape. The new track is in the shape of an ironing board, and horses that go on it are likely to break some of the top records. Veteran turfmen have seen it. They say it is perfect. A perfect view of the track can be had from the grand stand, which has been turned back to the west and north, where the finish of all races may be witnessed.

Mr. Taylor, of Kankakee, will bring his rapid 2-year-old trotter to the Decatur meeting. He can go a mile in 2:25. Mr. Grimes, of Terre Haute, will bring his string of horses here. The association has a long list of entries. The officers are figuring on securing horses of National reputation to give exhibition trots and paces.

THE GOOD TEMPLARS

Adopt Resolutions Censuring the Mayor and City Council.

At a meeting of the Decatur Lodge of Good Templars held last evening the following recently elected officers were installed: C. T., Wilbur Dawson; V. T., Miss Ophelia Grice; Supt. J. T., D. L. Bunn; Sec'y, Minnie Bauer; Ass't Sec'y, Edith Travis; Finan. Sec'y, J. B. Noce; Treas., Mrs. Theodore Coleman; Marshal, Kittie Seger; Ass't Marshal, Etta Andrews; Guard, Charles LeMasters; Sentinel, Jesse Leforgee.

The following resolutions were unanimously adopted:

WHEREAS, The city council of Decatur, at its meeting on Monday night, in granting license to forty-seven drinking shops, included among the number several who have lately repeatedly violated the law by selling liquor on Sunday, and to one who has circulated a shameful obscene card in violation of law, said card having been placed in the hands of the mayor; therefore

Resolved, That Decatur Lodge, I. O. G. T. No. 364, condemn such subservency to the dram shop traffic and indifference to lawlessness so clearly manifested by the mayor and city council, and urge all law-abiding and order-loving citizens to hold them responsible for this municipal outrage, and request the pastors of the churches of this city to present this matter from their respective pulpits.

SOCIABLES.

The Baptist and Congregational Churches Hold Delightful Meetings.

The Young People's Christian Endeavor society of the Baptist church gave a delightful sociable last evening at the Baptist church. The meeting was well attended, and the following program was splendidly rendered:

Piano Duet—Misses Donna Buckingham and Grace Hamsher.
Prayer—Rev. Torrey.
Address, "Watchwords of America"—Lon Tuttle.
Vocal Solo—Emma Pahmeyer.
Address—Rev. Torrey.

LAWN SOCIAL.

A delightful lawn sociable was given last evening at the home of Rev. and Mrs. W. C. Miller by the ladies of the Congregational church. The lawn was gaily lighted, and a large number were present and thoroughly enjoyed themselves. Mandolin music was furnished by Earle Bartholomew, Arthur Smith and Leslie Bevans.

MRS. OGLESBY MAY BE CHOSEN.

Likely to Succeed Mrs. Phillips as President of the Illinois Woman's Board.

Mrs. Richard J. Oglesby will probably be chosen president of the Illinois woman's exposition board at the meeting next Tuesday. The board postponed the election of a successor to Mrs. Frances B. Phillips, resigned, until the August meeting to give the women plenty of time to agree on a candidate.

Mrs. Alice B. Wiles has been acting as president, and directing the work in Cook county besides. On account of the peculiar qualifications of Mrs. Wiles for the latter work she will be continued in that field, and for that reason she has not permitted the use of her name in connection with the presidency of the board.

Notice.

To my friends and public. During my absence for a short time on a trip to Denver and the west, my business will be left in the hands of thoroughly competent men and any business intrusted to me shall have the most perfect care in every detail. Store open night and day, and all calls shall be promptly attended to. Yours very truly,

J. B. BULLARD,
Undertaker.

Guaranteed.

Every piece of this silverware is guaranteed full silver-plated on white metal, and if in any instance you find it is not as we represent it, you can return the goods and get your money.

E. D. BARTHOLOMEW.

THE SOCIAL SWIM.

Mrs. Chas. Kearney's Progressive Cinch Party.

Other Social Events in the City Last Evening — Parties and Picnics.

A most enjoyable progressive cinch party was given last evening by Mrs. Charles Kearney of Evansville, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Orlando Powers, in honor of Mrs. M. B. Howard, of Evansville, Ind. The hours were from 3 to 7 o'clock, and the guests were received by Mrs. Kearney, Mrs. Orlando Powers, Mrs. Charles Powers, Mrs. James Babb of Chicago, Mrs. Howard and Miss Tinkham of Homer. The rooms were prettily decorated with potted plants and flowers. The first prize was won by Miss Lucile Durfee. It was a golden rod souvenir tea spoon. The consolation prize went to Mrs. O. E. Curtis. It was an after dinner coffee souvenir spoon. At 6 o'clock supper was served under the supervision of Mrs. Snyder. The invited guests were Mrs. M. B. Howard of Evansville, Ind., Mrs. Orlando Powers, Mrs. James Babb of Chicago, Mrs. Chas. Powers, Miss Tinkham of Homer, Mrs. Reynolds of Denver, Colo., Mrs. Brown and Mrs. Frank Huffaker of New Berlin, Mesdames E. J. Brown, Albert Barnes, Will Barnes, O. E. Curtis, C. L. Griswold, Jr., Will Heilman, George Moeller, L. L. Race, Will Shellabarger, Ralph Templeton, T. A. Powers, Frank Roach, Frank Curtis, Charles Murphey, E. P. Vail, A. B. Alexander Ed Alexander, Bain Walston, Misses Lucile Durfee Carrie Powers, Belle and Marian Ewing, Francis Grimes, Ella Race, Lena Ullrich, Harriett Howell, Louie Boyd.

AT RIVERSIDE.

The Rustic tennis club gave a delightful picnic yesterday evening at Riverside. The game, tennis, was enjoyed in the afternoon, after which an elaborate supper was served at 6:30. Boat-riding was then indulged in for several hours. Those present were Nellie Elliott, Anna Aldrich, Minnie Crane, Clara Weyl, Ella McRoberts, Jessie Siewers, Emma Weigand, Etta Sherman, Pet Osborn, Minnie Davis, Mae Harwood, —— McConnell, and George Weaver, Chas. Martin, L. Clark, James Scumpha, James Hume, Warren Sievers, George Fulton, L. Snyder, Ed. Osborn, W. B. Sherman and E. P. Irving.

SURPRISE PARTY.

T. M. Kess, clerk of the Central hotel, and Mrs. William Murphy were surprised yesterday by a number of friends at the home of Mr. Kess, 650 East Orchard street. The party was arranged by Mrs. Kess and Mrs. F. McCarty. Mr. Kess was 59 years old Monday and Mrs. Murphy was 30 years old yesterday. At noon a bountiful dinner was served. The guests remained during the afternoon. Those present were: William Merchant, F. McCarty, W. A. Kess and their wives, Mrs. M. Kiser, Mrs. Mary Hiser, Misses Ida McCarty, Clara and Pearl Merchant, Katie, Anna and Pearl Kess; and Bert Merchant and Harry Yancy.

A DELIGHTFUL TEA.

Attorney and Mrs. David Hutchinson assisted by their daughters, Misses Grace and Anna, gave a delightful tea last evening to a party of friends at their home on West Decatur street. After a splendid supper drive whist was enjoyed. Those present were Mrs. James Haworth and her guest, Mrs. Walter, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Allison, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Kennedy, and Mr. and Mrs. Jay Walter.

PARTY ON SOUTH BROADWAY.

Miss Stella Hutsinpillar gave a party at her home on South Broadway last evening in honor of the Silver Star string band. Refreshments were served. Those present were Misses Cora, Mattie and Bertha Roper, Neta Christian, Ida Weigand, Floy and Challie Gasaway, Ina and Nora Graham, Hattie Drum, Bonnie and Stella Hutsinpillar, and Messrs. Frank Plumer, Water Martin, Frank Hart, Roy Coble, Joe Yeagel, Willie Graham, Ed Fowler, Guy Harkness, Will McGorray, Clarence Seiwers and Charlie Martin.

GREAT FIRE.

A Grand Demonstration on Lincoln Square August 5th.

Having procured the agency for the sale of the Improved Co Operative Fire Extinguishers, we take pleasure in presenting them to the careful examination of all those who have property subject to loss by fire.

In order to convince the public that we have the best machines in the market we will make a public exhibition of their merits by putting out a large fire.

The exhibit will take place on Friday evening, August 5, at 8 p. m. sharp, in the northeast part of Lincoln Square.

We extend a cordial invitation to the public to attend this demonstration, and we trust you will favor us with your personal presence so that you may see the great extinguishing power and the simplicity and easy management of the machines.

H. MUELLER PLUMBING & HEATING CO. 3 d3

Labor News.

The Tailors' union held a largely attended meeting last night.

Lamont Swisher, of Decatur, is at St. Louis, as a delegate to the international convention of the Carpenters and Joiners at St. Louis. Harry Blackmore, who spent Sundays in Decatur during the strike, is a member of the committee on resolutions.

At the meeting of the Brotherhood of Painters and Decorators at St. Louis yesterday the June figures on the state of the organization showed 264 unions in good standing, 12,126 members in good standing; wages raised and hours reduced in over 200 cities.

CONKLIN & HOUSUM,

Wall Paper and Room Mouldings

—COMPETENT—

Paper Hangers and Decorators.

JOHNSTON'S,

151 North Water Street.

Striking the Sympathetic Cord.

Prices that Will Interest Everyone.

ALL SUMMER GOODS MUST GO!

WOOL CHALLIES, the 25c ones, at 15c yd.

STORM SERGE and NOVELTY WOOL DRESS GOODS, in light colors, sold at 58c, at 33c yd.

SUIT PATTERNS of 10 yards Plain Gingham and 4½ yds. Emb. to match, worth $2 and $2 50, at $1.48 and $1.98.

50 CACHMERINE SUITS, in all colors, worth $2.50, at $1.90 suit.

45-in. SWISS FLOUNCINGS, worth 58c, 65c, 75c and 85c, at 48c yd.

Everything in SWISSES, ORGANDIE LAWNS, INDIA LINENS, and all WHITE GOODS at GREATLY REDUCED PRICES.

FANCY CHANGEABLE SILK PARASOLS, Fancy Natural Stick, were $3.75, at $2.75 each.

REMNANTS in all Departments at your own price.

BLANKETS.—Special Low Prices this month to Blanket Buyers. Be one of the early purchasers and save yourself money.

EARLY FALL SPECIAL.—10 pieces All Wool Storm Serge, Light Brown, Blues, Grays and Greens, worth 75c yd, at 58c yd.

JOHNSTON'S,

151 North Water Street.

—FIRE—

Prices are not to be compared with prices made by

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+Family Groceries.+

Trade with a Live Grocer, whose stock is constantly turning, and be assured of getting FRESH GOODS.

GOODS DELIVERED PROMPTLY.

+JOHN FINN,+

333 North Water Street, Gallagher Block.

TELEPHONE 341.

ARE YOU GOING TO BUY

—A—

MANTEL Our stock is New, and we carry the best selections of Hearths and Facings in the city.

REFRIGERATOR We have the coolest and dryest made. The ventilation is perfect. Don't fail to see them.

Gasoline Stove The Reliable Process large stove is the best make on the market. We also have small Reliable stoves, one two and three burners; all guaranteed.

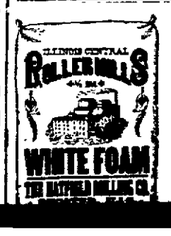
GAS STOVE No Gas stove or Range is as well made and as simple as the Reliable. Recommended by all who use them.

Lawn Mower The Pennsylvania, the standard of Lawn Mowers, is the only one that will give satisfaction.

Builders' Hardware If you are building don't fail to see the fine Bronze Goods we are carrying.

Estimates to Contractors. Our Prices Always the Lowest.

+C. L. GRISWOLD & CO.+



If You Want Good Bread ALWAYS ASK YOUR DEALER FOR ONE OF THESE BRANDS OF FLOUR.

They are the best in the market. Every sack

CUT GLASS.

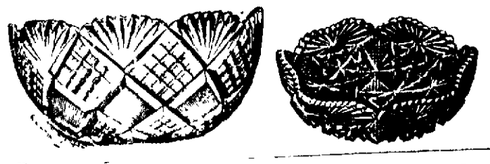
We have the Greatest Line of

CUT GLASS

Ever Shown Here.

THE PRICES ARE LOWER

Than you have been accustomed to seeing.



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Second Floor, China Department.

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Summer Night's Dream

Is fully realized in the purchase of some of the Cool Garments we have to offer for the Midsummer Sultry Days at CLOSING OUT PRICES.

Light-Weight Coats and Vests,
Neglige Shirts,
Balbriggan and Gauze Underwear,
Straw Hats.

EVERYTHING OFFERED AT PRICES TO MAKE YOUR PURSE STRINGS LOOSEN.

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Sugar-cured Boneless BREAKFAST BACON and HAMS, free from cloth or paper wrappings.

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DAILY REPUBLICAN.

ICE CREAM SODA.

Our Fountain is now Open, and we are dispensing the Finest ICE CREAM SODA in the City.

KING & WOOD.

WEDNESDAY EVE., AUG. 3, 1892.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

We are authorized to announce HON. D. P. KELLER as a candidate for Representative, subject to the decision of the Macon County Republican Convention.

We are authorized to announce J. M. BOWER as a candidate for Circuit Clerk, subject to the action of the Republican county convention.

We are authorized to announce JESSE K. BERRYMAN as a candidate for Coroner of Macon county, subject to the action of the Republican county convention.

We are authorized to announce KIMBISON MCCLELLAN as a candidate for Circuit Clerk, subject to the action of the Republican county convention.

GEORGE R. BERRY is hereby announced as a candidate for Circuit Clerk, subject to the action of the Republican county convention.

We are authorized to announce the name of DR. ALBERT F. COLLINS as a candidate for Coroner, subject to the action of the Republican county convention.

ITEMS OF INTEREST.

The Alaska

Refrigerator is so constructed that no *filth* can accumulate. It is *always sweet* and clean and requires no attention. Put in the ice, *it* does the rest. For sale only by E. D. BARTHOLOMEW.

DEEE & SON, tailors.

TEETH, $8—Hoskins & Moore, dentists

SMOKE the old reliable K. & W. cigars. mar26dtf

THE races at Tuscola will begin on August 10th.

THE ice trade this year in Decatur has been exceedingly brisk.

THE new location of May & Churchman, grocers, is in the Syndicate Block. dtf

SMOKE none but the Joseph Michl Little Rose and Bouquet cigars. They will suit you.

TELEPHONE for family groceries to May & Churchman in the Syndicate Block Prompt delivery. 5dtf

WANTED—Five carpenters. Apply to A. Adams at 535 Prairie avenue, or at 522 North Church street. 29-d3t.*

A FINE line of fruits and vegetables every day at May & Churchman's grocery store in Syndicate Block. 5dtf

MAKE a note of it. The Wabash today offers a rate of $12 for the round trip to Denver. Are you going? Buy a Wabash ticket.

STEP into the Syndicate block and see May & Churchman, the grocers, in their new location. They have one of the neatest stores in the city. apr5-dtf

THE general invitation still holds good for everybody to drive or ride out to the Trotting Park and try the new mile track. Give it a test.

FOR a good hard wall and one that will have less cracks than any other use Rock Plaster. Manufactured by Decatur Rock Plaster Co. 2-dtf

GROUND has not yet been broken for the new water pipes on North Main street. Possibly work will not begin until next week.

THE miners in mine No. 3 at Springfield are out because of a dispute with the company about the check weighman. A charge of fraud about weights is made.

TIME saved is money—you can save much time by using Rock Plaster on your building. Manufactured by Decatur Rock Plaster Co. 2 dtf

WARMER to-day by a few degrees—88 in the shade at 2 p. m. But for the breeze life would be as hot as the heated term in July.

TO-DAY some party unknown exchanged umbrellas with Mrs. A. T. Grist at Linn & Scruggs' store. The mistake can be righted at any time at Grist's barber shop.

MARRIAGE licenses have been granted to Robert Hastie, of Taylorville, and Miss Harriet Coleman, of Decatur; and to Will A. Young, of LaSalle, Ill., and Miss Maude Canfield, of Decatur.

SWIMMING at the Nat. goes right on every day and evening. All of the veteran patrons are there, and new recruits are constantly testing the depth and temperature of the water.

GOING to Denver with Decatur Knights Templars via the T. H. & P., you will have through cars without change. No change of cars at Kansas City, as via other routes. 1-d6

IN a runaway on Lincoln Square this forenoon the horse fell and slid 52 feet down South Main street, where the animal was caught, but the run was scored. He wasn't thrown out.

THE army worm has got into the oats in DeWitt, McLean and Champaign counties and are doing considerable damage. In one field of 70 acres in Champaign county it is reported that one-third of the crop is destroyed.

THERE will be a Sunflower Sociable at the A. M. E. church on Thursday night, and the lady wearing the largest Sunflower will be presented with a prize. The gentleman guessing the nearest to the number of shot in a bottle will also receive a prize.

THE distention of the stomach which many people feel after eating, may be due to improper mastication of the food; but, in most cases, it indicates a weakness of the digestive organs, the best remedy for which is one of Ayer's Pills, to be taken after dinner.

THE Wabash R. R. announce another of their popular cheap excursions for Sunday, Aug. 21. This time they will reverse the trip, going by rail to Quincy and by the steamer Josephine to Hannibal and Hannibal Cave. The rate will be the same, $2 for the round trip.

TO-DAY John A. Reeve & Co., the undertakers, secured a five year lease for the south room in the Gallagher Block on North Water street. The room will be fitted up in elegant style for the undertaking business and as soon as possible Reeve & Co. will take possession.

MANY questions of interest to Sunday school workers will be discussed at the coming county convention to be held in the Methodist church at Blue Mound. Miss Mabel Hall, of Chicago, will give practical illustrations of primary teach-

GOING TO DENVER.

Decatur Knights Templar and Ladies Who Will Leave Saturday.

Beaumanoir Commandery, No. 9, of Decatur, will be in it at the triennial conclave of Knights Templar at Denver during the coming week. They will make the journey in style, having engaged sleepers on the Terre Haute & Peoria and C. B. & Q. roads for the journey to the Rocky Mountain city. The train will leave Decatur at 11:35 a. m. next Saturday, going by way of Peoria. The tourists will include the following ladies and gentlemen:

Rev. James Miller, grand prelate of the Illinois Commandery, who on arriving at Peoria will be the guest of the grand officers on the special train. Rev. Miller will be accompanied by his wife and Mrs. Mann, of Danville; Eminent Commander W. J. Wayne and daughters, Misses Gertrude and Mabel Wayne; Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Werner, Mrs. Henry Smith, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Calver, H. M. Huff and sister, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Sessions, Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Wood, Mr. and Mrs. I. A. Buckingham and daughter, Miss Donna Buckingham; Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Bohon, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Saxton, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Starr, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Bullard, Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Springer, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Scovill, I. D. Walker, John Mattoe, J. C. Hostetler, S. D. Moore, of Assumption; Dr. J. D. Moore, Smith Walker, of Bethany, Smith Crowder. Besides taking in the sights at Denver the party will visit Colorado Springs, Manitou, the Garden of the Gods, Pike's Peak and other points of interest.

Generous Charlie Laux.

Since the price went up for day board at the St. Nicholas hotel to $7.00 a week there has been a general exodus of those who had been there for months and years at $5 a week. The prices were too stiff for many of the young men whose salaries would not stand the $2 raise, and they have sought cheaper accommodations. Landlord Laux realized that some of the boys couldn't stand the raise, and he was not angry or disappointed when they left. He expected they would leave. But before they went away, to each and all he extended a cordial invitation to come around the same as before and enjoy themselves in the office or out in front in the easy chairs. He was too considerate to mention the hand serenades as an attraction.

Getting Pointers.

George H. Haight and M. N. Armstrong, two leading attorneys of the stirring city of Ottawa, Ill., together with N. E. Stucker, the Ottawa city engineer, were in Decatur to-day on an important mission. They came to learn all pointers connected with the system of special assessments for sewer improvements. They conferred with City Attorney McDonald, who is a recognized authority on the subject, having carried all contested cases through the courts successfully. The gentlemen stated that they were well fortified with all necessary legal points, and had no doubt but that they would go along swimmingly with sewer improvements. Ottawa is soon to be a finished city.

The Big Gladiator.

Davis Brown, of the Leader Manufacturing company, arrived home last night from Stanberry, Mo., where he has been busy of late putting in one of the big Gladiator brick making machines, the largest made by the Leader company at their works near the fair grounds west of the city. Mr. Brown also put up a 100-horse power engine and set the Gladiator at work. In ten hours, with an average of 65-horse power, the Gladiator turned out 60,000 well made brick. Mr. Brown says the Stanberry firm is more than satisfied with the machine, which is confessedly the best now on the market. Truly the Leader company are the leaders in the manufacture of brick making machinery.

Our Ocean Museum

on Water street, first door north of Millikin's bank, is not equaled for size, variety, beauty or value, either in Chicago, Cincinnati or St. Louis, neither was this collection equaled at the New Orleans Exposition. It is for both ladies and gentlemen. Open evenings until 10 p. m. Admission 10c. If this advertisement is untrue, or our museum unsatisfactory, we will refund your money. We remain in the city but a few days longer.

Respectfully, W. B. SMITH & SON,
Marine Collectors.

Cost of Cars.

Following is the cost of construction of each car in use from a Pullman palace car to an ordinary flat car: Pullman car, $15,000 to $18,000; passenger coach, $4,200 to $6000; express and baggage cars, $2000; postal, $5000; box, 60,000 pounds capacity, $540; refrigerator, $1000 to $1200; stock, 60,000 pounds capacity, $640; stock, 40,000 pounds capacity, $500; gondola, 60,000 pounds, $500; flat, 60,000 pounds, $150; cabin car (caboose) $475.

Campaign Notes.

It is suggested that American tin buttons be made for the white coats selected for the Republican Escort club. Not a bad idea.

The Republican club in Blue Mound township is booming. A report comes from Boody to-day that on one list there are 92 names, and other papers afloat for signatures.

Sunday School Picnic.

Bethlehem Sunday School will hold a picnic in the grove near the church Friday, August the 12th, and there will be a refreshment stand, good water and all other accommodations necessary for the comfort of the people. All are very cordially invited to attend.

Texas Corn.

Hon. John K. Warren arrived home to-day from a business trip through Texas. He brought home an agricultural souvenir of the journey, a big fat ear of corn plucked from a big field south of Waco. It can be seen at the REPUBLICAN office.

Capital $50,000.

The Scott Manufacturing company of Decatur has been incorporated with a capital stock of $50,000. The incorporators are Adam Scott, G. W. Scovill, Henry A. Wood, Milton Johnson and Will M. Lewis.

Silk Mitts

In black, cream, pink, blue and cardinal, best wearing qualities for the price, can always be found at Linn & Scruggs' Dry Goods & Carpet Co. d&w

HENRY WARD BEECHER'S widow says the great Brooklyn preacher wrote but

PERSONAL MENTION.

E. McNabb has returned from Springfield.

Henry Rachrach is in Chicago on business.

Will Ennis has returned from Deal Beach, N. J.

Mrs. Rebecca Devore left last night for Denver, Col.

N. T. Watson is in Monticello to-day on business.

Mrs. Chas. Holt has gone to Pueblo, Colo., to visit relatives.

Architect R. O. Rosen is in Assumption today on business.

Mrs. S. T. Nesbit and son are in Mechanicsburg visiting relatives.

Miss Mamie Wood will leave to-morrow for Union, Mo., to visit relatives.

Mrs. Missouri Barney, of Chicago, is in the city visiting Mrs. W. F. Colladay.

J. Young, of Marissa, Ill., is in the city visiting C. N. Wilson, of Bradford street.

H. W. Israel, of Whitehall, has accepted a position with Hoskins & Moore.

Mrs. Isabella Stafford and daughter, Miss Mosetta, left this morning for Denver, Col.

Mrs. W. B. Chambers and daughter, Miss Jeannette, are in Chicago visiting relatives.

Harry Starbuck, of Chicago, is in the city visiting his father, Architect H. F. Starbuck.

Miss Sadie Newman, of the REPUBLICAN composing room, is in Mt. Zion visiting relatives.

Ed Adams, of the H. Mueller Plumbing & Heating company, is in Arcola today on business.

Elder M. D. Hawes is not so well today. There are unfavorable symptoms. The family is alarmed.

John Scott, of Mt. Zion, left this afternoon for Pueblo, Colorado, taking advantage of the low rate to Denver.

J. A. Frey, for the Decatur Leader Manufacturing company, departed today for Indianapolis on business.

Misses Kate and Minnie Lehman and Helen Richards left to-day for Denver, Colo., to visit friends and relatives.

Miss Edna Henry, of Clinton, who has been in the city visiting Miss Maud Calhoun, left last night for her home.

Miss Bell Hurst, of Williamsport, O., who has been visiting J. W. Rowe, departed this afternoon for Omaha, Neb.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Frank have returned to their home in Ramsey after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Stoddard.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Antrim will depart for Denver, Colo., to-morrow, to visit Mrs. Antrim's brothers, who are in business at Denver.

Supervisor C. H. Garver, of Whitmore, and President O. T. Kirk, of the Blue Mound board of trustees, had business in Decatur to-day.

Senator and Mrs. W. J. Keyes, who have been in the city visiting W. T. Downing and family, left to-day for their home in Somerville, New Jersey.

Sir Knights J. B. Bullard and W. H. Starr and their wives left this afternoon for Denver, Col., via St. Louis. They will stop at a number of cities while en route.

J. K. Warren arrived home to-day from an eleven days' business trip through Texas and the southern states in the interest of the Warren & Durfee manufacturing company.

H. C. Anthony, of the firm of Anthony & Webb, will leave Saturday for Denver, Col., where he will visit friends. Mr. Anthony has some real estate in Denver and it is his purpose to sell it before his return.

"Kit" Wilson, a local song and dance artist, of the Beach & Bower minstrel troupe last season, will join the Bailey & Wilson show at Duquoin, Ill., about August 15th. He is splendid in his line and although he is but yet a young man, he is in great demand.

Davis Brown returned last night from Stanbury, Mo., where he placed one of the Decatur Leader Manufacturing company's celebrated "Gladiator" brick making machines. The machine he put in will make 60,000 brick in 10 hours. Mr. Brown is in Danville to-day.

No Damage by Heat.

Prime's crop report shows that the growing crops withstood the weather of last week in excellent style. It says that the week ending July 13 was almost a perfect week for the harvesting and finishing up and gathering the grass crop. The temperature was low, and the northern area had so far escaped the damaging effects to the growing crops of an early frost. Those areas where rain was needed for corn had been relieved. The movement of grain was free, there being a great demand for it for home consumption. In central Minnesota a little wheat had been cut. Oats were all out and threshing had commenced. The week just closed has been all over the country a most extraordinary one so far as its effect has been upon man, beast and the crops. It has been fatal to man and beast, and at the same time it is extraordinary that so few reports have been received from the surplus grain-growing areas of the country of any actual destruction to the crops. The worst which has been said is that "the condition is critical. A continuance will lower present conditions." Wednesday and Thursday night rains began to fall and Friday morning the country once more was rejoicing in the return to a normal and seasonable temperature.

Last week was a big one for the corn in Illinois. It is now nearly all in tassel and beginning to ear out. It has not suffered at all from the effects of the intense heat of last week. As compared with an average season, corn to-day in Illinois is twenty days late and the reports now would indicate a crop of 60 to 70 per cent with an average year. Little old corn has been moving lately, and there is no probability of receipts in Illinois increasing until the situation of the growing crop is more fully ascertained than it is now.

Sales of Real Estate.

R. R. Montgomery and F. R. Shull to George and Robert Hunter, lot 15 in blk. 2, Montgomery & Shull's second add. to Decatur—$400.

Joseph Niehe et al. to Joseph Powell, lots 10 and 11, blk. 1 of Michl Harpstrite's & Shlaudeman's add. to Decatur—$400.

Ludwig Schnedears to C. M. Boercher, deed to lot 4, block A, Stapp's subdivision of block 21, Carver's addition; $200.

The New Merchant Tailor.

P. H. Kaufhold, the new merchant tailor at 143 East Main street, began business to-day, throwing open his handsome store to the public. It is elegantly fitted up and his stock of piece goods is new and stylish. The room is nicely embellished with new furniture. Those who call will find Mr. Kaufhold a genial and clever gentleman. Give him a call.

Save Your Sox.

Bathing Sets for Ladies,
50c a pair,
at POWERS'.

Belleek China.

We show a very handsome line of Belleek goods in white for decorators and in decorated goods. Our imports in *artistic goods* are arriving now and we shall show you the finest line in the west this season. OTTO E. CURTIS & BRO.

Band Serenade.

The Georgia Minstrel Band gave the people a serenade of well-executed selections this afternoon, boosting the minstrel performance at the Grand tonight.

Everybody

wants accident insurance; take it in a

WAS NOT MURDERED.

The Laclede Farmer Found, and Says He Left Home to Escape Being Killed.

Ernest Classen, the Laclede township farmer in Fayette county whose strange disappearance caused considerable excitement in that neighborhood and who was thought to have been murdered by Joseph Neldon and his daughter, Mrs. Adamson, arrived at Vandalia yesterday with Sheriff Steinhauer. Classen was found at Hartsburg, Ill., where Neldon and his daughter said he went when he left home. Classen claims he was forced to leave through fear of old Neldon, who had threatened his life on several occasions. Classen will return to his home and will endeavor to get possession of his property that was disposed of by old man Neldon. A charge of obtaining property by intimidation will be brought against Neldon and his daughter.

Christians in Camp.

The weather is just such as is needed to make the Illinois Christian encampment at Eureka a great success. The tabernacle where the sessions take place is an immense structure, built by the citizens of Eureka and donated to the Christian Church college, which is located there. Every train brings additions from all over the country to the the already large crowd present. Yesterday was devoted to listening to the reports from the the state missionary officers. Rev. G. W. Muckley, of Kansas City, Mo., closed the forenoon session with an address on "Church Extension," and in the afternoon the following ministers spoke: M. P. Hasden, of Wataska; J. E. Jewett, of Lincoln, and Rev. R. F. Moffat, of Cleveland. A Christian Woman's Board meeting took place in the college chapel. Mrs. A. L. Benjamin, of Portland, Mich., led in the parliamentary drill, and Mrs. Celia Scott Willard, of Chicago, in the the bible reading. The day's proceedings closed after a song service with an address by Rev. A. P. Cobb, of Springfield, Ill.

Minstrels To-Night.

Richards & Pringle's famous Georgia Minstrels will appear at the Grand this evening presenting an entirely new programme. They of course have Billy Kersands, as it would not be proper without him and his big mouth. The new people this season are Cheatham Bros., Billy Reynolds, C. F. Alexander and the Crescent City quartette, the latter of last season's "Alabama." The Great Gauze, W. O. Terry, James Crosby and others, are still with the organization. The following is from the Helena *Exchange:*

Richards & Pringle's Georgia Minstrels gave the best minstrel performance that has been seen in Helena for many a day, and managed to keep the audience in a roar from the rise of the curtain to its fall. The character of the jokes, and there was a great number of them, was very good. The absence of obscenity, which is quite remarkable on occasions of this sort, was very noticeable. Billy Kersands is inimitable, and James Crosby is not far behind him. The show would be a good one were these two the only members of the company. The people anywhere may be assured of getting the full value of their money when they patronize the Georgia Minstrels.

Broke Jail—Caught.

There was tremendous excitement at the county jail at Jacksonville yesterday when two prisoners escaped and the whole gang confined came near doing the same. The substitute turnkey was just ascending the stairs when he discovered that the door into the main corridor was open and two of the prisoners out in the hall. They quietly forced the hall door open, and while he was securing the others they made a dash for liberty. The assistant came up and was done up with a club, and the men leaped into the street, pursued by the turnkey with a gun. He shot at the fugitives but failed to bring them down until he ran one into a creek, where he covered him with his gun while a farmer waded in and took him out. George Gilliam, an embezzler, was secreted in the brook for an hour before he was caught. Miss Reed, a lady at the jail, was roughly handled by Gilliam, who broke away from her and fled through the office door.

The Prospects for Game.

Local sportsmen along the Illinois and Mississippi valleys predict poor hunting this fall. They claim that the high water this spring washed out nests and drowned the young of prairie chickens, quail, wood and teal ducks. The low lands of the Sangamon, Illinois, the Okaw and the Mississippi teem with snipe at this time of the year, but as they have been until recently under water that species of game will not be available this year.

Republican Executive Committee.

President Midkiff has called a meeting of the Republican club executive committee, to be held at Mills Bros. & Mills' law office Thursday evening, August 4, at which time and place the members of the 1888 Glee club are requested to be present. The gentlemen are Newt Davis, C. N. Brown, W. A. Boettiger, A. C. Lindsmood, W. H. Muzzy and John H. Gooding.

Notice P. O. S. of A.

All members of Washington Camp No. 57, P. O. S. of A., are requested to attend the regular meeting of the camp this (Wednesday) evening, August 3, 1892. Business of importance to be transacted. By order of

W. W. MINICK, President.
A. D. BIRLEY, Secretary.

New Tires for Bikes.

Paul Heikisch, at bicycle headquarters in the Chenoweth building, opposite Library block, is prepared to put cushion or pneumatic tires on old bicycles in first-class style. Call and see Heikisch for prices and terms. All kinds of repair work done on short notice. 3-d6

A Dance.

The social club dance at the Guards Armory was a merry affair with over a dozen couples present. The prompter was Prof. Leonard and the music was by the Opera House orchestra.

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$1.50 Men's Outing Shirts at	$1.00
20c Satin Plaid India Linen at	9c
10c Children's Summer Vests at	5c
15c Ladies' Jersey Ribbed Vests at	7½c
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Thursday Evening Social.

The Ladies Aid Society of the First M. E. church, will hold a social at the residence of Milton Johnson, Thursday evening of this week. Everybody invited. There will be a musical program and refreshments will be served. aug3d2t

DIED.

At 750 East Sangamon street, at 7:45 p. m., August 2, of cholera infantum, Marmaduke Stanley, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Weston, aged 5 months and 4 days.

The funeral will take place from the residence at 1 p. m. to-morrow, Rev. H. H. Oneal officiating.

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